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In re Application of:

Roland de La METTRIE et al.

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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a four month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of February 28, 2003. A Notice of Appeal was timely filed on May 21, 2003, and the present petition extends the period for response four months from the due date for the Appeal Brief, to November 21, 2003. A fee of \$1,480.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this Appeal Brief and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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